

2. All casual rights, which are due under the name of *quint, lods et ventes, relief*, or of any other designation whatsoever, upon mutations in the property or in the possession of any land.

Appointment
of Commission-
ers for the
purposes of
this Act.

IV. And be it enacted, That it shall be lawful for the 5
Governor to appoint three persons to be Commissioners
under this Act, in and for each of the Districts of Quebec,
Three Rivers, and Montreal; and for the purposes of this
Act, the Districts of Montreal and Quebec shall be con-
sidered as retaining their present limits, notwithstanding 10
any dismemberment thereof which may hereafter take
place for judicial purposes: And it shall be lawful for
the Governor to authorize at any time, three of the said
Commissioners to act as such Commissioners in and for
the District of Gaspé, as well as in and for the District or 15
Districts for which such Commissioners shall have been
appointed; and such authority may be granted by a letter
addressed to the said commissioners by the Provincial
Secretary, and shall have the effect of conferring upon
them the same powers and authority within the limits of 20
the said District of Gaspé, as they have in the District
or Districts for which they shall have been originally ap-
pointed.

Secretary.

V. That it shall be lawful for the Governor from time
to time to appoint a Secretary to the said Commissioners 25
for each of the said Districts, and the same to remove
and appoint another in his stead in case of removal,
decease or resignation.

Emoluments of
Commission-
ers, &c.

VI. That the said Commissioners and the said Secre-
taries shall receive for their services under this Act and 30
for their necessary disbursements, such compensation as
shall be allowed to them respectively by the Governor
in Council, and no other fees or emoluments whatsoever;
and the said compensation shall, in the first place, be
defrayed from out of the consolidated Revenue Fund of 35
this Province, and shall thereafter be reimbursed out
of the fund to be created under this Act as hereinafter
provided.

Their sittings.

VII. That the Commissioners appointed under this
Act shall hold their meetings in public, in such places 40
in the Districts for which they shall be respectively ap-
pointed, and at such periods as the Governor in Council may
from time to time determine, and inform them of through
the Provincial Secretary; and they shall give such public
notice of their said meetings as they shall in the same 45
manner be required to give; and at every such meeting
two of the said Commissioners shall form a *quorum*, and
any report, decision or act which shall be concurred in
by two of the said Commissioners, shall be considered
sa done and executed by the Commissioners for the Dis- 50

Quorum.